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Mr. David Raber
Director, Safety Division
Arizona Corporation Commission
2200 North Central Avenue
Suite 300
Phoenix, Arizona 85004

Re: Support for Union Pacific Railroad Company's Double-Track Project

Dear Mr. Raber:

This letter will serve to inform you that Pinal County fully supports Union Pacific Railroad Company's project to construct a second main line railroad track through Pinal County and the State of Arizona, known as "Union Pacific's Double-Track Project." Specifically, Pinal County fully supports and approves, and will to cooperate with Union Pacific concerning, construction of one additional main track over and across public roadway crossings of the Union Pacific Railroad tracks at grade within Pinal County, as listed on Exhibit A attached hereto. Pinal County therefore requests that the Arizona Corporation Commission approve each application filed by Union Pacific for authority to install a second main line railroad track at grade at those crossings listed on Exhibit A.

If it would be helpful to the Commission or its Staff, Pinal County would be pleased to have its representative appear at any hearings or meetings concerning Union Pacific's crossing alteration applications to the Commission to confirm the County's support and approval of those applications. If you have any questions or wish to discuss the County's position with respect to these matters, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

David Snider, Chairman

c: Board of Supervisors

Ken Buchanan, Assistant County Manager

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Chief Civil Deputy County Attorney, Chris Roll

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